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MOTION FOR CONSIDERATION OF ANSWER

Commissioner for Trademarks P.O. Box 1451 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1451

Madam:

Deer Stags Concepts Inc. ("Deer Stags") instituted the above-captioned opposition on May 13, 2011. Applicant, B & S Partners, Inc. DBA Pilgrim Shoes, was given a deadline of June 22, 2011 to file its Answer. To date, Deer Stags has not received an Answer from Applicant. However, a review of TTABVUE shows that Applicant did file an Answer on June 3, 2011. That Answer bears no proof of service, which is consistent with opposer receiving none. Despite Applicant's Answer being in clear violation of Trademark Rule 2.119, Deer Stags respectfully requests that the Board treat Applicant's Answer as if it were filed in accordance

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with Trademark Rule 2.119, so that the Proceedings in this matter may continue without delay. In the alternative, Dear Stags respectfully requests that the Board issue an order requiring Applicant to resubmit its Answer with clear proof of service and to actually serve the same on Deer Stags.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a true and complete copy of Opposer's MOTION FOR CONSIDERATION OF ANSWER was served upon Applicant on **June 30, 2011**, by forwarding the same, via First-class mail, to:

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